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[c1]	1.A method of providing information (Z) indicative of an account status to an account holder via a device connected to a network, comprising the steps of: comparing an actual value (a) with a preset parameter; deriving the information (Z) in response to a transaction (n) that influences the actual value (a); and providing the information (Z) to the account holder through the device.
[c2]	2. Method according to claim 1 further comprising the steps of transmitting the information (Z) via the network and receiving the information (Z) by the device.
[c3]	3.Method according to claim 1 further comprising the step of setting the parameter.
[c4]	4.Method according to claim 3 wherein the step of setting the parameter comprises a limit.
[c5]	5.Method according to claim 3, wherein the step of setting the parameter comprises a region.
[c6]	6.Method according to claim 1 further comprising the step of setting different parameters.
[c7]	7. Method according to claim 2, wherein the step of receiving the information (Z) comprises rendering the information (Z).
[c8]	8. Method according to claim 7, wherein the step of rendering the information (Z) comprises confirming the information (Z).
[c9]	9.Method according to claim 2, wherein the step of receiving the information (Z)

- comprises requesting a password.
- [c10] 10.Method according to claim 2, wherein the step of transmitting the information (Z) via the network and receiving the information (Z) by the device comprises a wireless communication technique.
 - 11. A computer program comprising a program code for performing a method

of providing information (Z) indicative of an account status to an account holder via a device connected to a network and when said program is run on a computer, comprising the steps of: comparing an actual value (a) with a preset parameter; deriving the information (Z) in response to a transaction (n) that influences the actual value (a); and providing the information (Z) to the account holder through the device.

[c12]

12. A computer program product comprising program code means stored on a computer readable medium for performing an operation when said program product is run on a computer, said program code means comprising: a comparator for comparing an actual value (a) with a preset parameter; an initiator for deriving the information (Z) in response to a transaction (n) that influences the actual value (a); and an information output indicating the information (Z) to the account holder.

[c13]

13. A system of providing information (Z) indicative of an account status to an account holder via a device connected to a network, the system comprising: a comparator for comparing an actual value (a) with a preset parameter; an initiator for deriving the information (Z) in response to a transaction (n) that influences the actual value (a); and an information output indicating the information (Z) to the account holder.

[c14]

14. The system according to claim 13, wherein the device is a mobile device.